# DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT (SWDA)

## Solid Waste Management Technical Training Assistance

1. AUTHORITY. To approve grants to any state or interstate agency, municipality, educational institution, or organization capable of effectively carrying out a training project (no profit makers) as defined in the Solid Waste Disposal Act, Section 7007(a) for solid waste management pursuant to Section 7007(b) supplemented, as appropriate, for international awards by the National Environmental Policy Act, Section 102(2)(F).

#### 2. TO WHOM REDELEGATED.

- a. To the Director, Land, Chemicals, and Redevelopment Division, or equivalent.
- b. The authority to execute the grants is redelegated through the Director, Mission Support Division, or equivalent, and through the Branch Chief, Grants and Interagency Agreements Branch, or equivalent, to the Section Chief, Grants Section, or equivalent, under Delegation 1-14-A.

#### 3. LIMITATIONS.

- a. Approval of grants or cooperative agreements funded with the research and development appropriation is limited to the AA for ORD or his/her designee and is further limited to multi-disciplinary training assistance initiated and funded by ORD.
- b. The delegated authority for research and development is limited to activities directly contributing to the implementation of the mission of the office and consistent with congressionally approved budget requests.

#### 4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.

- a. This authority may be redelegated to the branch chief level, or equivalent.
- b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
- **5. SUPERSESSION.** This delegation supersedes R10 8-17 (07/11/2016) and any other delegation of the same authority.

### 6. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.

- a. Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Act of 1977.
- b. 40 CFR Parts 30, 31, 32, 34 and 45.
- c. EPA's Assistance Administration Manual.
- d. EPA Delegation 1-14-A.
- e. EPA Delegation 8-17.

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